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Robin Hood and Royal Household at \$3.45 nett
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Apply to MRS. JAS. FAIRBEN

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Sausages, Ham, Bacon, Butter, &c

Phone 36, - Frank, Alta

NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Con-
firmation of the Tax Enforce-
ment Return of the
Town of Blairmore

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor,
Judge E. P. McNeill, Judge of
the District Court of the
District of Macleod, has ap-
pointed Thursday, the twenty-
eth day of April, 1916, at the
hour of ten o'clock in the fore-
noon, in the Council Chambers,
Blairmore, as the time and
place for holding the Court of
Confirmation to confirm the
Tax Enforcement return of the
Town of Blairmore.

WM. JOYCE,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Blairmore

Reward \$15.00 Re-
ward given for
information leading to the
arrest and conviction of any
person cutting, without author-
ity, dry or green timber on
my property.

McLAREN LUMBER CO.

It Pays To Advertise

The 192nd O. Battalion

With only two weeks gone in
which active recruiting has
been in force for the new
192nd battalion, a total of 241
men had attested up to Thurs-
day night. Practically all the
recruits have joined from Blair-
more, Bellevue, Hillcrest, Frank
and Coleman, the latter town
showing the largest number.

Owing to the newly author-
ized battalion being recruited
at Fernie, Lieut. Col. Lyon has
issued instructions not to re-
cruit farther west than Soud-
er, an order which, to any the
least, is very disappointing, as
plans has been made whereby
an active recruiting campaign
would take place in the district
originally given to the 192nd,
which extended out to Bull
River in British Columbia and
to Pincher Creek and north to
the boundary of the Rocky
Mountain constituency in Al-
berta. It is felt, however, that
additional territory will be
given east in return for that
taken away.

Captain and Quarter Master
F. A. Bagley, who has been con-
nected with the 82nd in Calgary
since its inauguration, has
joined the 192nd this week as
senior major. Major Bagley,
who comes from an old fighting
stock, has seen twenty-five
years' service in the R.N.W.M.P.,
also going through the South
African campaign, being
attached to C Squadron with
the rank of captain. In addi-
tion he has been attached to
the active Canadian militia for
the last three years as captain
and adjutant of the 14th High
Horse at Calgary.

Lieut. Campbell, of the 80th
Calgary, has also joined, and
during the past week has acted
as drill instructor, and was
complemented by the newly
appointed major upon the way
the men are getting into shape.
As the barracks at the Sina-
torium are not yet in shape,
the men are billeted at the dif-
ferent places they enlisted
from, each squad being under a
competent drill instructor. Drill
is expected, however, that in
another week or two the men
will all be in barracks.

Sufficient uniforms and equip-
ment leave Calgary tomorrow,
and all men will be in khaki at
the early part of next week.

It is expected that a school of
instruction will be brought to
town, whereby all officers and
non-commissioned officers can
be instructed locally, instead of
having to go to other military
centres.

A list of those who have already
joined from Blairmore follows: L. C. Bro-
nson, W. Cross, R. T. Christie, M. H.
Barnham, H. J. Matthews, D. H. Pe-
ters, H. Valkenburg, R. H. Bell, Harry
Goldman, S. Hines, C. H. Harrison, D.
McLeod, R. E. Patterson, F. A. Pat-
erson, R. W. H. Pinkney, C. Stewart, A.
Nichols, W. Morgan, C. R. Ritchie, F.
Denison, A. May, W. Patterson, E.
P. Peterson, F. G. Bailey, E. Brown,
McGrouther, G. Smith, A. Crawford,
H. Farrell, F. J. Lott, A. Anderson, W.
Hoson, D. H. Bell, W. Bailey, G. W.
Baker, W. McVey. A list of those join-
ing from other towns will be given next
week.

Edward J. Frouke, of Medicine
Hat, was arrested in Spokane last
Tuesday on a charge of violating
the neutrality laws by enlisting U.
S. citizens for Alberta regiments.
He is held in jail under a \$1,000
bond, to await the action of the
Grand Jury in April. Brooks ad-
mitted having made efforts to fur-
ther recruiting, although he says
he is connected with no battalion.
The maximum penalty is \$1,000
fine and three months imprison-
ment.

The British steamer *Sennouche*, 5717
tons, is calling for assistance from mid-
March coast in like a lion.

School Board Selects

New Principal

A meeting of the school trust-
ees was held at the town office
on Tuesday to consider applica-
tions for the principalship of
the Blairmore school. Chair-
man Col. Lyon and trustees
Putnam, Beebe, Hunter and
Bartlett were present.
Applications were received
from Clarence R. Pearson,
Bluff; G. A. Bishop, Blackfalds;
D. L. MacKenzie, Calgary; L. C.
Paton, Edmonton; George A.
MacDonald, Carstairs; John B.
Covey, Edmonton. On motion
it was decided to accept the
application of Mr. Pearson, who
will probably assume duties as
principal on Monday, the 13th.

The resignation of W. Joyce
as secretary-treasurer was on
motion accepted, and F. Wright
was appointed secretary-treas-
urer for the Blairmore School
District at a salary of \$10 per
month.
Several small accounts were
passed.

Watkins-Hancock---

Crawford Nuptials

A quiet but pretty wedding was
celebrated last night at St. Augustine's
church, when Canon Murrel-Vright
united in marriage Miss Edith Louise
Crawford (sister of Macleod and Lieut.
William Frederick Watkins-Hancock of
the 13th Kliths. The bride's sister, Mrs.
R. J. Crooks, and Mr. Crooks, were the
attendants at the ceremony. Mr. Wat-
kins-Hancock was formerly a sergeant in
the R.N.W.M.P., and was stationed at
Macleod. Lieut. Watkins-Hancock and
his bride are residing in the Victoria
Mansion (Kitchener Herald, Wednes-
day, March 1st).

Essays On The

Milkman's Best Friend

This is how the Council school pupil
put it:

"The cow is a good animal. She has
two horns, and two eyes, and gives milk
which is good to drink. She has four
legs and eats grass and hay. Some of
them are red and others have long tails."

"This is how the head teacher says it
ought to be put:

"The female of the bovine genus is a
beneficent mammal, this ruminant quad-
ruped is possessed of enormous prod-
ucts, projecting from the occiput. Her
color is bicoloral, and she yields an
edible and nutritious liquid exudation;
she is quadrupedal and herbivorous, as-
similating her food in both the succulent
and excruciated states; some of the
chromatically correspond to the seventh
color of the spectrum, and they are en-
dowed with mental appendages of ex-
traordinary functionality."

Helping The Red

Cross in Scotland

Over in Scotland the citizens of
learning communities are ever ac-
tive in the interests of the Red
Cross Society. A short while since
an appeal was made for subscrip-
tions and in response cattle, poultry
and produce were piled up in
the sale, which was largely attend-
ed to by the ladies. The cattle were
knocked down for \$10.10, and the pur-
chaser gave the animal back to be
resold. At the second auction it
made \$9.10 and again became the
property of the first purchaser.
The poultry had all been
disposed of, it was discovered that
an egg had been laid by one of the
lens nest in. The egg was immedi-
ately put up for auction and a
remarkable scene followed, as
practically every person present
took steps to become the owner
of the egg for a few moments and
to contribute to the effort still
further by again offering it for dis-
posal. In this way the egg was
sold hundreds of times at from 1c
to 5c, and was finally purchased
for setting purposes. Altogether
the egg realized \$20. At this sale
a better thing sold added \$20.76
to the day's takings.

Spring and Summer Goods Just Arrived

Very latest patterns in Yard Goods,
including Crepe, Voiles, Prints,
Muslins, Silks, Satins, Etc.

Large Assortment Ladies' Blouses

Also new stock of Boots, Shoes, Hats,
Caps, Raincoats, Etc.

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THE STORE THAT SELLS FOR LESS

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RESIDENCE PHONE "60"

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Rough & Dressed Lumber, Sash & Doors
Shingles & Lath

Blairmore

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J. HANDLEY'S Grocery Specials

Five Eggs Fresh.....\$3.50
Washington Apples.....\$2.00 per case
Blue Ribbon Tea.....40c a pound
3-lb. can Turkey's Tea.....\$1.10
Fresh Ground Coffee.....35c lb.
B. C. Potatoes \$1.50 each. Good dry stock
Brown Beans.....40c a lb.
Prime Back Bacon.....25c a pound
Choice Ham.....35c a pound
FRESH Butter and Eggs to arrive
Oranges.....35c and 50c a dozen
Lemons.....30 cents a dozen
Assorted Biscuits.....2 lbs 35c

Special clearing prices on
Men's Wear and Shoes

PHONE "52"

According to returns, recruiting
in Manitoba and Saskatchewan has
now progressed to a point where
one man out of every six between
the ages of 18 and 45 has enlisted
for active service. Figures sup-
plied at military headquarters show
that for the first 15 days of Febru-
ary 2,271 had joined the colors.
This brings the total number of
men raised in the two provinces
since the beginning of the war to
approximately 47,500.

John Herron, who has been at
Ottawa ever since parliament
opened, keeping his heels well
ground for the interest of his district,
returned to Pincher Creek last
week, and paid a visit to this sec-
tion on Saturday. John was one
of the last to get out of the burn-
ing buildings at the time of the big
fire.

35 per cent. of Canada's male popula-
tion may be needed for active service.

Palace Cafe

Most Up to date Restaurant
and Quick Lunch Counter
in the Crow's Nest Pass

Excellent Cuisine
Moderate Rates
Special Rates for Board and
Room. Prompt Service
Made at all hours. Meal Tickets
Maid, Sing & Co., Props.

The ladies certainly lost no time
on Leap Year night at the Frank
skating rink to show their dearest
affections for the men. On several
occasions they were caught right
in the act of bending on one knee
to their desired ruler, but, ah, the
men were evidently all too wise
and no disaster occurred. A rule
was set by the rink management
that no lady was to remain in the
company of any young man for
more than twenty minutes, unless
she could show that a proposal had
been made and accepted, and every
man was his own timekeeper and
took no chance.

Major J. A. Hyslop and Capt.
C. J. McKinnon, of the C.A.M.C.,
Edmonton, were in town last week
and to inspect the new recruits for
the 192nd. With but two excep-
tions, the entire contribution from
Blairmore were approved.

The big Grand Trunk railway station
at Bonaventure, Montreal, was compl-
etely destroyed by fire on March 1st.

Concentrated Economy

The beef of a whole bullock is required to make a dozen bottles of Bovril. You can safely reduce butchers' bills if you use Bovril in soups and stews. But—most of the Bovril is made in the United States. The strength and nourishment of Bovril cannot be compressed into cheap cubes.



Good Looking Harness

Keeps good looking—and old harness looks like new when you give it regular application of

EUREKA HARNESS OIL

Prevents cracking. Prolongs life to the harness. Makes it strong, pliable, long lasting. One application will convince you.

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The Imperial Oil Company Limited
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PERFECTION RAZOR PASTE

Shaves razor, razor and cuticle. It is the only razor paste that is perfect. It is the only razor paste that is perfect. It is the only razor paste that is perfect.

Milk Used for Hun Bombs

The Daily Mail has recently published a revelation of the German claim that their babies are without milk, citing a recent German report that cows, which show, it says, that if the cows are used for anything but milk, the milk is delivered to the Hun. The German claim is that the milk is used for the Hun. The German claim is that the milk is used for the Hun.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Maxim Says Kaiser Must Go

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Cholera In Volcanoes

Strange Suppressions Associated With This Dreaded Disease

Cholera has usually found a useful ally in supereruption. In the olden days the disease was believed to be bottled up in volcanoes and to be released by eruptions. The most effective way to avoid it was to sleep in bed with your head due south. In Russia during the terrible epidemic six years ago, the peasants whom they accused of causing the disease, but drank a fearful mixture of tar, resin and petroleum as preventive, and with a few drops of the mixture they would down to scare the cholera away.

Rocks were the birds whose con- siderable connection with cholera was observed in Ireland in 1832. According to the local legend, the birds were accused of causing the disease, but drank a fearful mixture of tar, resin and petroleum as preventive, and with a few drops of the mixture they would down to scare the cholera away.

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Importance of Archangel

Development of Port Has Been Remarkable During the Past Year

The trade and commercial department of the Russian government has received an interesting description of the development of the port of Archangel, which is now the only Russian port on the Arctic coast. The port is located on the north coast of Russia, and is the only Russian port on the Arctic coast. The port is located on the north coast of Russia, and is the only Russian port on the Arctic coast.

Archangel is now a city of 40,000 inhabitants, and the construction of transportation facilities is being rushed. The port is located on the north coast of Russia, and is the only Russian port on the Arctic coast. The port is located on the north coast of Russia, and is the only Russian port on the Arctic coast.

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Russo-Japanese Alliance

Czar Denies Decorations For the Emperor and Empress

The Russian press has published the political importance of the visit to Moscow of the Emperor and Empress of Japan. The Russian press has published the political importance of the visit to Moscow of the Emperor and Empress of Japan. The Russian press has published the political importance of the visit to Moscow of the Emperor and Empress of Japan.

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Horse Sale Distemper

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Don't Worry

about your digestive troubles, sick headache, tired feeling or constipation. The depression that induces worry is probably due to a disordered liver, anyway. Correct stomach ailments at once by properly taking

BEECHAM'S PILLS

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A safe, reliable compound for all ailments of the bowels. It is a safe, reliable compound for all ailments of the bowels. It is a safe, reliable compound for all ailments of the bowels. It is a safe, reliable compound for all ailments of the bowels.

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Wanted in every town and village, to take orders for the best made "Beecham's Pills" and "Cook's Cotton Root Compound." Agents are wanted in every town and village, to take orders for the best made "Beecham's Pills" and "Cook's Cotton Root Compound."

Logging Camps Are Busy

Unusually active in the British Columbia logging camps for this season of the year on account of the unusually early start of the logging season. Camps which usually close in November are now working for full season.

Gold Deposits Increase

A very substantial increase in both the number and value of gold deposits in the Vancouver assay office is shown in the report for the month of December. The increase in the number of deposits was 75, while the increase in value was \$70,000. These figures deal entirely with deposits of gold bullion, and not with deposits of gold ore.

LAME BACK

Spells Kidney Trouble

There's no use putting on liniment and plaster to cure a lame back. The trouble is inside. Your kidneys are out of order. Give Fido's Kidney Pills a trial. You will find them to be the best remedy for kidney trouble. Fido's Kidney Pills are the best remedy for kidney trouble.

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Two boxes completely cured Arnold McKelvey, of Lower California. "I have never been so well as I am now," says McKelvey. "I have never been so well as I am now," says McKelvey. "I have never been so well as I am now," says McKelvey.

National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited
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Another War After This

As soon as the war is over, and peace terms arranged and accepted by the vanquished Hun, there will be another war waged between the same force, but it will be a bloodless one, in the form of economic reprisals.

Had the British government taken half the interest in the welfare of its commerce that the German government has done during the last twenty years, British trade would have been infinitely greater than it is, it was just inevitable to the year; though it was even then much greater than Germany's. Britain has for years imported from Germany large quantities of manufactured goods, which, by a little encouragement and guidance from the government, could easily have been supplied by home industry. The articles were chiefly pianos, toys, small tools, glassware, electric fittings, trimmings, shawls, men's hosiery, a few textiles, and large quantities of chemicals, particularly those used so extensively in the bleaching, dyeing, and textile printing (indies) in which they held a world monopoly practically. It would have been easy to keep out all the above named except the chemicals by imposing a 10% duty on them, and this would not have hurt any class, seeing that they were neither raw materials nor foodstuffs. As for the chemicals, that was a task Germany years to build up, and was subsidized by the government in order to kill off competition in other countries consequently there in those countries have been handicapped during the war. However, they are doing their best to fill their requirements against the Hun, and doubtless will eventually succeed.

The German can fight as strenuously in commerce as in war, and will strain every nerve in order to regain the trade they have lost during the war, but they will have competitors quite as determined as they in the allies.

Germany was a large importer of British goods, but which were chiefly semi-raw materials such as yarns for weaving into cloth, and which they could not get elsewhere, or produce as cheap, themselves, notwithstanding the duty on them. German goods went into England free of duty, but this is not likely to be the case after the war, and therefore the Hun is a good customer; and if they stop purchasing from Britain, the latter will more than make it up with the extra trade-trading with the allies, who will give preference to each other, and act in conjunction for decades as well as weeks. On German and Austrian trade the world over. All the allies will raise duties against Germany, and will favor each other in their tariffs. Great Britain has no duty on anything going from Canada or the United States, except tobacco, so she cannot knock anything off for Canada. The only way to give the latter preference is by imposing a duty on imports from the States of say 5% in the case of the Wilcox importers will no doubt get busy again, and the British government will point out another precedent which Uncle Sam had already made, namely, that all goods going from the United Kingdom to the United States are subject to a duty of from 25 to 100 per cent. Russia must be on the same terms as Canada.

This war will make a vast change economically in Europe. The German Empire, the allies will gain. Great Britain will recover rapidly, and New York will not yet be the financial centre of the world, it would not suit Europe. Canada will once more go "full speed ahead" in spring 1917, and the British Empire, though weakened by loss of blood and treasure, (having paid the biggest share of the bill and lost millions to her allies), will easily again take the foremost place in the world for Power, Integrity and Power, in which Canada and Australia will certainly have a talking part.—W. A. C.

Some narrow-minded individuals who have recently enlisted are already voicing their plans of how to boycott those who have not yet acceded to the request of others to become members in khaki. In a civilized country such a policy should never become known, and it would be wise that the practice were discouraged. No doubt, the majority of those in civilian who have not yet voiced their sentiments, are at heart just as keenly interested in the present struggle as their friends who are wearing the khaki, and are doing their bit in some manner which is not openly exposed to the eyes of those on active service. They are at least subscribers to the funds which are meant to care for the families of those who enlist, and the efforts being put forward to alleviate the sufferings of our countrymen who fall wounded on the field of battle, and the idea of "boy-cotting" should not be tolerated, and the parties guilty of introducing such a practice should be punished.

It Pays To Advertise

If you fail to ask for coupons when trading with the following stores, it is like leaving money on the counter: F. M. Thompson Co. Blairmore Pharmacy, J. & E. Wylie, S. T. Hunter, A. I. Blair.—Advt.

A doctor, not many miles from Blairmore, became the father of triplets. A midwife stopped him in the street to congratulate him.

"Well," he said, "I hear that the Lord has smiled on you."

"Smiled on me?" repeated the doctor. "He laughed out loud."

Live Business Men Wanted

Our Readers Cannot help but judge from a glance over the advertising columns of this paper that the Business Men of The Pass are Absolutely DEAD

To Their Opportunities

Word was last week received by Mrs. Raphael Bonnier of her husband being missing from the French fighting line. Mrs. Bonnier is a resident of Blairmore, and her husband was among the first to leave for the Old Country at the outbreak of the war.

Bellevue Happenings

James Alexander is visiting Letha bride this week on business.

Richard Randall was here renewing acquaintances this week.

Mrs. A. I. Blair, of Frank, was a visitor here during the week.

Paul Padgett and A. Varley were at Ferns visiting the dentist.

Harry Campbell has moved his family back to Bellevue again.

Albert Knowles has accepted a position as treasurer with P. Birnes & Co.

William Patterson and family spent a few days at Cowley this week.

W. Cole has accepted the position of sampler for the C.P.R. at the Bellevue mine.

Word has been received from Private Frank Booley, who is well and happy at the front.

Thomas Haynes, of Coleman, has accepted a position as fire boss at No. 2 mine here.

The initiators degree was conferred by the local Oddfellows' lodge on Monday night last.

Quite a number of Bellvue people took in the Leap Year dance at Hillcrest on Tuesday night.

Miss Little Bliss has accepted a position in the Bellevue branch of the Union Bank of Canada.

Robert Connolly, who had been visiting friends at Pincher Creek for some time, returned home this week.

Anonymous letters are reaching many local men through the mail, asking them whether they intend to fight or pipe.

Rev. James Lang of Passburg, was visiting here during the week. Mr. Lang is now in his 86th year and is quite active.

Quite a number of Bellevue young men have recently answered the call of their King and Country, a partial list being as follows:

A. Buxey	J. Byrne
W. Patterson	R. Ledford
Joseph Christie	C. Brown
R. Jordan	R. Patterson
J. Burwick	W. Christie
J. Alexander	Sgt. Cockburn
L. Hoshack	J. Byrne
C. R. Ritchie	F. Huxley
E. L. Burnett	M. Walker
C. Struble	A. Varley
Wm. Fisher	K. Mitchell
A. Watson	J. Holt
W. Kynaston	R. G. Duffie
A. E. Williams	J. Boyle
J. Burke	F. Padgett
Archer	W. F. Gower.

Besides the above, Bellevue has about forty men on active service, most of whom are at present some where in England, France or Egypt.

"You say you are very hard up," said the magistrate to a poor-looking man who was brought before him on a charge of begging.

Prisoner (sternly): "Oh, yes, yer worship; I have a wife and eight children, and you don't know how hard it is to keep them these dull times."

"But," said the magistrate, "I am informed that you keep two dogs."

"Oh, well, if you expect us to eat dogs I haven't any more to say. Come on w' the sentence, and let's get it over."

On February 25th John Loughran, Coalbrook, late of the Beaver Mines, was appointed a justice of the peace for the province of Alberta. For a great number of years Mr. Loughran was identified with the trades union movement in Great Britain, and was also a member of the borough of Middlesbrough, Yorkshire, Eng., for the 15 years previous to his coming to Canada. For the past five years he has taken an active part in the United Mine Workers union and has held the office of financial secretary-treasurer in the Beaver mines local for about three years.

The Derby scheme of compulsion is not proving to be what it was expected, for the number of exemptions granted by the local tribunals are so many as to render the measure almost ineffective. In many parts of the south of England as large a proportion as five-sixths of the men have been exempted.

ENLIST NOW!

On February 16th

The 192nd Overseas Battalion

Needed 1155 Men

Up to March 1st
241 Men Enlisted
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Young Man!

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Hotel Furniture
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Piano

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Local and General

France has taken big measures
to restore her merchant marine.

Norman Macaulay, representing
Metals, Limited, Calgary, was in
town this week.

The Dominion government
would not stand for Dominion-wide
prohibition.

The Renfrew Hotel Co. (tem-
perance) made a profit of about
\$5,000 last year.

BORN—At Coleman, on Feb-
ruary 16th, to Dr. and Mrs.
Fancett, a daughter.

Capt. D. A. Bagley, of the Cal-
gary 89th Battalion, has been
transferred to the 192nd and ar-
rived in Blairmore on Wednesday.

Eleven steam trawlers and
twenty-five sailing vessels took a
total of 23,294,428 pounds of cod
from the Newfoundland fishing
banks in 1915.

W. A. Chesser, accountant with
the Edmonton Portland Cement
Co. at Marlboro, has been spending
the past two weeks visiting friends
in Blairmore.

The Service military camp at
Calgary will be reopened on or
about the first of April, and it is
learned from semi-official sources
that the number of men who will
be stationed there will be about
20,000. Alberta is expected to
raise 40,000 men, and many of
these will be stationed in other
parts of the province.

Local and General

Manitoba takes the vote on pro-
hibition on March 13th.

Practically all the members of
the local Masonic Lodge have en-
listed.

Eleven new recruits came in
from B.C. points on Wednesday
for the 192nd Battalion.

Putnam says the war will not be
over until he and Bartlett can
qualify for the Bantams.

Anglican church service on Sun-
day next at 11 a.m., conducted by
Mr. J. Bolden, of Bellevue.

The Russian steamship Pet-
sanga has been sunk. Fifteen of
those on board were saved.

A. G. Browning, K.C., formerly
of North Bay and later of Toronto,
has been appointed attorney-general
of the province of Alberta,
succeeding J. D. Hunt, resigned.

Five hundred families in Berlin,
Ont., toast the Kaiser every day,
says a Toronto paper. Move that
they be allowed to participate in
the payment of the indemnity
which the Kaiser is letting Ger-
many in for.

Word has been received from
Rev. F. T. Cook, who went to Mon-
treal with a Universities corps,
stating that he had transferred to
the 5th Ambulance Corps and was
leaving on Wednesday, March 1st,
for England.

A man named Archer was fined
\$250 and costs, with the alterna-
tive of five months in jail, in the
police court, Calgary, for purchas-
ing liquor for a soldier after hours,
during the time when the bars
were "out of bounds."

The induction of Rev. E. H. Gray
into the pastorate of Blairmore
Union church will take place on
the evening of Thursday, March
30th, when the ceremony will be
performed by Rev. Willis Wright,
of Pincher Creek, interim moderator
for the Macleod Presbytery.
Mr. Wright will be assisted by
Revs. Dr. Ferguson, A. H. Denison
and D. E. Cameron.

February is the shortest month
in the year. The past February,
however, was not so short as usual,
in view of the extra day accorded
to it by Leap Year. Exactly fifty
years ago one of the most remark-
able months in the world's history
occurred. The February of 1866
was so full moon. (January and
March each had two full moons).
Astronomers calculated that no
other full moonless month had oc-
curred since the world's creation,
and that it would be 2,500,000
years before it occurred again.

Kaiser Bill thinks he will stop
the war on April 15th.

Alex. Patterson paid a visit to
Lethbridge last week end.

Central Methodist church at Cal-
gary was destroyed by fire on
Tuesday morning.

Sergt. James B. Irwin, of the
American Legion, was in town
from Calgary this week.

At Canyon City, B. C., a number
of roads collapsed recently from
the weight of snow on them.

Rev. W. McE. Tait, of Pincher
Creek, occupied the pulpit at the
Union church on Sunday last.

Capt. J. Angus McDonald went
to Cowley on Sunday night in the
interest of the 192nd Battalion.

It is said that Lord Northcliffe
will be appointed air defence min-
ister. To defend lost air, maybe!

Mr. Davidson, of Calgary, suc-
ceeds R. Menzies as manager of the
Murphy & Fraser Liquor Col-
store in Blairmore.

An American who has returned
from Europe says Austria-Hungary
will not hold out in the war more
than three months longer.

J. J. Purvis returned home from
Bear Creek on Saturday, to accept
a position as engineer with the
West Canadian Collieries.

Now, girls, if you are going to
pop, you had better do it now. If
you delay too long it will be four
more weary years before you have
the opportunity again.

The annual convention of Dis-
trict 18, U.N.W.M. of A., closed at
Fernie on Saturday. By a vote it
was decided that the next conven-
tion should be held in Fernie.

Thomas Vought, of the well-
known firm of Vought Bros., North
Sydney, N.S., is now making his
eighty-sixth trip across the At-
lantic on a stock purchasing tour.

Dr. Haakon B. Christensen, of
Vancouver, B. C.; was drowned
Sunday in the surf at Venice, Calif-
ornia, in attempting to rescue his
sister, Mrs. Toft, also of Vancouver.

Who they call the "irony of
fate," remarked the private-
philosopher, "that this 'ere Ford
made in 'is pole auto motor-car,
should be used to travel in 'a
'Oscar!'"

King Constantine of Greece pro-
tests that he is not pro-German, or
pro-Ally, but simply pro-Greek.
But the Toronto Mail and Empire
says that there is a suspicion that
he is chiefly pro-life.

M. A. MacDonald, leader of the
Liberal party, defeated Hon.
Charles E. Tisdell, minister of
public works in the Bowser govern-
ment of British Columbia by a
majority of about 4,000 votes.

Capt. J. F. Lambert, of the 13th
C.M.R., has been offered command
of the new 191st Battalion, to be
raised at Macleod. It is under-
stood that Capt. Lambert will
accept and that recruiting will be
commenced at once. Inspector
McDonald of the R.N.W.M.P., sta-
tioned at Macleod, was originally
authorized to raise the battalion,
but after consideration, he declined
the offer. Inspector McDonald is
within a few months of the retiring
age in the R.N.W.M.P., and if he
accepted the command of the bat-
talion he would have to give up his
prospective pension. Capt. Lam-
bert is a veteran of the South
African war, serving as regimental
sergeant-major with the Canadian
contingent and doing five weeks
of that campaign. He is a resident
of Macleod and one of the most
popular and efficient officers in the
13th Mounted.

Ed. Haddad was down from
Coleman on Sunday.

"Canning" Germans should be
one of Canada's greatest indus-
tries.

Roseland's total snowfall is now
due to eleven feet, and is still
coming.

Last year British Columbia
shipped \$15,000,000 worth of com-
puter.

The license fee on pool balls has
been reduced by the Innisfail
council to \$50.

Harry Thom, of P. Burn & Co.,
Lethbridge, spent several days
here this week.

R. Smallwood, blacksmith, has
been slightly indisposed with an
attack of the "grip" this week.

The Government of Greece has
transferred about \$75,000,000 of its
bonds to New York for sale keep-
ing.

The Russians under Grand Duke
Nicholas have taken Mash. The
first shot thing the Grand Duke has
encountered.

The local recruiting office of the
192nd Battalion and the quarter-
master's stores have been moved to
the Friess block.

The patriarchal degree will be
conferred at the regular meeting of
Grove's Post No. 2, on Wednes-
day night next.

Han forces around Verdun are
constantly receiving their de-
scriptions. This time with less, in-
stead of the historical truth.

Accounts of the fighting at Ver-
dun pay high tribute to the cum-
ing of the defence works con-
structed by the French. Prolonged
use of the heaviest German artil-
lery was necessary to force the Ger-
man infantry could come into the
open.

Among the Blätzerreiter, who
attended the Red Cross Leap Year
ball at Coleman on Tuesday night
were W. A. Beebe, L. H. and H. H.
Putnam, Mr. Schweitzer, Miss Cal-
gary, Mr. Smith, W. Turner, Mr.
and Mrs. Church, R. W. Thomp-
son, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith.

More than 40 guests, all Meth-
odist ministers and their wives,
were made seriously ill after they
had partaken of food which is al-
leged to have been poisoned, served
at a banquet given to Methodist
ministers in the Howard Street
Methodist church in San Francisco.

The Peninsula and O. hotel line
steamer Maloja struck a mine and
sank within half an hour two miles
off Dover, England, on Sunday.
Many lives were lost. Another
steamer named Dido, was sunk in
the same vicinity on February
26th, from which many bodies were
washed ashore.

A rumor was circulated around
Blairmore last week that more than
fifty per cent of the Coleman Bal-
letti's printing staff had enlisted
with the 192d. Several weeks
ago the editor of the Pincher Creek
Echo announced that fifty per cent
of his staff had enlisted, leaving
the editor all to himself. The En-
terprise boasts of 33 1/2 per cent of
its staff now in khaki.

The latest discovery of the dynamite
investigator at Detroit is one
for the founding of a Windsor,
Ont., boundary. Pincher Creek
operation found dynamite so placed that
at least as much damage as was
done to the Pashby factory in
Walkerville last June would have
followed an explosion. The discov-
ery was made several days ago,
but kept secret. The dynamite is
being held as evidence.

Inspector Junget was up from
Pincher Creek this week.

George McDonald, of Sydney,
N.S., has lost three brothers in ac-
tion.

LOHN—On Tuesday, February
22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lyon,
a son.

Mrs. Kidd's maternity home,
Box 95, Phone 151, Wedding Creek,
discontinued.

The Provincial Orange Grand
Lodge will meet in Calgary on
March 14th and 15th.

The French auxiliary cruiser La
Provence was sunk in the Mediter-
ranean on Saturday last.

Owing to a rush of job work from
Coleman last week, our publica-
tion was several hours late.

Every young Canadian who puts
on the King's uniform brings the
staff home some fraction of time
neither.

"Her husband has been a sufferer
for many years, hasn't he?"
"I don't know—how long have
they been married?"

The resolution presented to the
Dodgeville, Iowa, by Mrs. Wm.
Pemberton, to allow women the fran-
chise, was turned down.

The new submarine campaign
may mark the entrance into the
war of several of the newer and
extended types of submarine.

The big new screen aerial "Grid"
commenced at the Blairmore camp
here this week, and undoubtedly
will attract keen interest at this time.

It was announced in the house
of commons that the Italian gov-
ernment had requisitioned 34 of 37
German ships interned in Italian
ports.

The latest formal note from Ger-
many regarding the coming of a
submarine warfare was sent by
President Wilson and his cabinet
for consideration this week.

Sergeant Lawrence, of Truro, is
the inventor of a machine which
shows a shaft of flame for 70 feet,
with heat so intense that it burns
up barrels and ends a case in a
few seconds.

Many cities are wonder-
fully so now appeared on the
streets on Tuesday, forgetting the
fact that Tuesday was Leap Year
day. No wonder the men are ac-
cused of not being new.

An Italian miner named Michael
Sikora was killed by a cave-in in
Coal Creek mine on Monday night.
Sikora leaves a wife and
three children. His partner, F.
Battalino, was seriously injured
by the cave-in.

A report says a large Ger-
man flotilla is engaged in baying
south of Falmouth, Sweden, but
outside of Swedish territory, and
that it is under the protection of 20
German patrol ships.

The Hillcrest Union has con-
tributed the sum of \$25 towards
increasing the number of books in
the Hillcrest public library. Of
late the library committee have
been conducting a series of lectures
on important subjects.

Germany has sent an ultimatum
to Portugal demanding the restora-
tion within 48 hours of the German
ships recently seized by that coun-
try, according to a despatch from
Madrid to the Reuter's Telegram
company.

By having been closed to
traffic for more than a month on
account of snow and land slides in
the Fraser canyon, the Canadian
Northern line is open again and
regular traffic between Edmonton
and Vancouver has been resumed.

14' below zero was recorded in
Blairmore on Tuesday night.

The secretary of the Frank
school district is advertising for a
teacher.

Mrs. R. Menzel came down from
Calgary last week end on a visit to
her husband.

Putnam and Bartlett ain't going
to join the Winnipeg band-mis-
tress, either!

The report of the Blairmore
school for February will appear in
our issue next week.

Alberta's men of affairs will have
to go some to keep up with the
"equal franchise" of women.

If a married man ever becomes
truly great his wife nearly always
assumes the responsibility for it.

Messrs. Lobe, McLeod and Pick-
ersley of the F. M. Thompson Co's
staff have joined the 192nd Bat-
talion.

H. H. Fitzsimmons is up from
Lethbridge this week end, and is
talking seriously of joining the
192nd.

The Tuks are lustily evacuat-
ing Lethbridge and neighboring
towns on the Black sea coast of the
Gulf of Mexico.

Privates W. Goddard and G.
Evans, and Singler W. J. Evans, of
the 19th C.M.R., are spending a
few days in town.

It is estimated that if the war
looks another thirteen months the
British pension will total \$25,
000,000 annually.

The British steamship Tennyson
is reported to have been sunk, and
the members of the crew having
been killed or drowned.

It is said that the Ford has been
never beaten than any other car.
And why don't you come and let
us see his car the whole way?

The hospital ship Marchioness
sunk a submarine mine near
Sanjuncion de Medina, Albania,
and sank with numberless victims.

Clarence McCutcheon, the
youngest of the McCutcheon broth-
ers, charged with defrauding the
public, has been cleared of all
charges.

The French ministry of marine
states that the British steamer
Farnet was sent to bottom by a
submarine in the western Mediter-
ranean.

According to Lloyd's, the British
steamer Southford, formerly the
Sindbad, has been sunk. Eleven
of the vessel's crew were saved. Two
were killed.

Lieut. Colonel Lyon has been
on assurance that a company of
Y.M.C.A. men being recruited in
Calgary, will be attached to the
192nd Battalion.

The German government takes
the position that the sinking of
merchant ships for defence is a
tradition rather than a rule of in-
ternational law.

L. C. Galley, who is now in charge
of the grocery department of the
Western Mercantile Co's new store
at Lethbridge, spent Sunday in
town with his family.

Thirty-five Indians from the
Blood Reserve, have been given
permission by the government to
join the ranks of the overseas
forces if they are willing.

No less than 170 persons were
killed last year while trespassing
on Canadian railways. Trespass-
ers often complain vigorously when
warned from the tracks, but the
annual death list is visible testi-
mony to the wisdom of the regula-
tions. People have to be protected
from their own foolishness.